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GRANULATION OF POWDER MATERIAL

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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants submit the reference listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449, an Official Communication issued by the European Patent Office for the related European Patent Application No. 03 780 069.5. For completeness, applicants cite Sugano U.S. Patent 4,416,606 (the "'606 patent") which is referred to as D1 in the Communication. The '606 patent has previously been made of record in this application.

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